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1. An application consisting of 30 pages of specification, including the claims and the Abstract of the Disclosure, and 4 sheets of drawings is attached.

2. A newly executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.

3. An Assignment of the invention to Samsung Electro-Mechanics Co., Ltd., is enclosed, with a Recordation Cover Sheet in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.31 and our check including the amount of \$40.00 to cover the recordation fee. Please record this Assignment in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.11.

4. Priority of Application No. 2004-13106, filed in Korea on February 26, 2004, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. A certified copy of the priority document is attached.

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Basic Fee				770
Total Claims	30 - 20	= 10	x 18	= 180
Independent Claims	4 - 3	= 1	x 86	= 86
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	TOTAL			\$1,076

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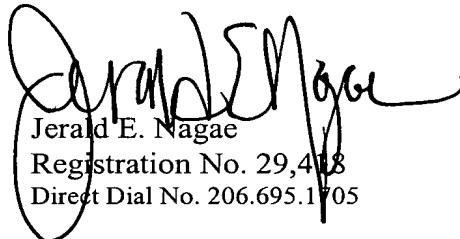
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